

2003
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Daily Traffic Volume Estimates
Including Vehicle Classification Estimates
where available

Special Locality Report
253
Town of Leesburg

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The Virginia Department of Transportation (VDOT) conducts a program where traffic count data are gathered from sensors in or along streets and highways and other sources. From these data, estimates of the average number of vehicles that traveled each segment of road are calculated. VDOT periodically publishes booklets listing these estimates.

One of these booklets, titled "Average Daily Traffic Volumes with Vehicle Classification Data, on Interstate, Arterial and Primary Routes" includes a list of each Interstate and Primary highway segment with the estimated Annual Average Daily Traffic (AADT) for that segment. AADT is the total annual traffic estimate divided by the number of days in the year. This booklet also includes information such as estimates of the percentage of the AADT made up by 6 different vehicle types, ranging from cars to double trailer trucks; estimated Annual Average Weekday Traffic (AAWDT), which is the number of vehicles estimated to have traveled the segment of highway during a 24 hour weekday averaged over the year; as well as Peak Hour and Peak Direction factors used by planners to formulate design criteria.

In addition to the Primary and Interstate publication, one hundred books are published periodically, one for each of 100 areas across the state defined by VDOT for record-keeping purposes. These books include traffic volume estimates for roads within the county, cities, and towns within the area. These books are titled "Daily Traffic Volumes Including Vehicle Classification Estimates, where available; Jurisdiction Report numbers 00 through 99".

Also available are a number of reports summarizing the average Vehicle Miles Traveled (VMT) in selected jurisdictions and other categories of highways. There are many different ways to present traffic volume summary information. Because the user determines the value of each presentation, the reports have been redesigned based on user requests and feedback. The people at VDOT Mobility Management's Traffic Monitoring Section who produce these books welcome requests for other helpful ways of presenting the summary information.

A compact disc (CD) is available that includes files in the Adobe® Portable Document Format (PDF) that can be displayed, searched, and printed using common desktop computer equipment. The CD includes the publications described above as well as a number of other reports, including specialized VMT summaries and smaller AADT reports for each city and town separately.

Publication Notes

Parallel Roads

For road inventory and management purposes, some roadways are counted separately by direction and have separately published traffic estimates for each direction of travel. Examples of such roadways are the interstate system and routes with separated facilities and (usually) one-way traffic facilities in urban areas. In these publications, they are referred to as parallel roads. As a convenience for the users of the publication, the listing for segments of roads with parallel segments are published with both the traffic estimates for their own direction of travel (e.g. I-95 Northbound) as well as the estimate of the total of all traffic on the same route including parallel roadways (all directions of I-95). The publication will have a “Combined Traffic Estimates for Parallel Roadways on this Route” or “Combined Traffic” identifiers for the combined direction of travel estimates.

Roadways such as I-395 with a North segment, a South segment and a separate Reversible lane segment will have the estimate for more than two parallel roadways included in the entire combined traffic estimate.

Some routes have very complicated paths through cities and towns. These parallel paths may be too complex to allow a relationship between nearby sections of the opposite direction on the same route. In this case, to indicate that the traffic estimates for such a road segment may not include all directions of traffic on that route, the line that would list the combined values will indicate “NA” for not available.

VDOT’s traffic monitoring program includes more than 100,000 segments of roads and highways ranging from several mile sections of Interstate highways to very short sections of city streets. Due to problems experienced obtaining some traffic count data, and the level of quality necessary to maintain confidence in the data, no estimate is currently available for some segments of roadway. These segments are included in the publications indicating “NA” for not available. It is the intention of the VDOT’s Mobility Management Traffic Monitoring group to obtain the data necessary and to report traffic volume estimates on all road segments included in these publications.

Many of the road segments in this program are local secondary roads. The amount and detail of data collected on these roads are not as great as the data collected on higher volume roads. The vehicle classification, average weekday traffic volumes, and the theoretical design hour traffic volumes are not calculated for these roads. The publications indicate “NA” for the information that is not available.

This publication is based on a traffic monitoring program initiated in 1997. Because the data collection techniques and statistical evaluation processes are different than those used in previous years, comparison with previous publications may be misleading.

Glossary of Terms:

Route: The Route Number assigned to this segment of roadway with the master inventory route number if this is an overlapping route, with official street or highway name if available.

Length: Length of the traffic segment in miles.

AADT: Annual Average Daily Traffic. The estimate of typical daily traffic on a road segment for all days of the week, Sunday through Saturday, over the period of one year.

QA: Quality of AADT:

- A Average of Complete Continuous Count Data
- B Average of Selected Continuous Count Data
- F Factored Short Term Traffic Count Data
- G Factored Short Term Traffic Count Data with Growth Element
- H Historical Estimate
- M Manual Uncounted Estimate
- N AADT of Similar Neighboring Traffic Link
- O Provided By External Source
- R Raw Traffic Count, Unfactored

4Tire: Percentage of the traffic volume made up of motorcycles, passenger cars, vans and pickup trucks.

Bus: Percentage of the traffic volume made up of busses.

2Axle Truck: Percentage of the traffic volume made up of 2 axle single unit trucks (not including pickups and vans).

3+Axle Truck: Percentage of the traffic volume made up of single unit trucks with three or more axles.

1Trail Truck: Percentage of the traffic volume made up of units with a single trailer.

2Trail Truck: Percentage of the traffic volume made up of units with more than one trailer.

QC: Quality of Classification Data:

- A Average of Complete Continuous Count Data
- B Average of Selected Continuous Count Data
- C Short Term Classified Traffic Count Data
- F Factored Short Term Traffic Count Data
- H Historical Estimate
- M Mass Collective Average
- N Classification Estimates of Similar Neighboring Traffic Link

K Factor: The estimate of the portion of the traffic volume traveling during the peak hour or design hour.

QK: Quality of the Peak Hour estimate:

- A Factor based on 30th Highest Hour Observed During at least 250 days of Continuous Traffic Data
- B Factor based on other Hour Observed During Less than 250 days of Continuous Traffic Data
- F Factor based on Highest Hour Collected at in a 48 Hour Weekday Period
- M Factor based on Manual Estimate of design hour
- N Peak Hour Factor of Similar Neighboring Traffic Link
- O Provided by External Source

Dir Factor: The estimate of the portion of the traffic volume traveling in the peak direction during the peak hour..

AAWDT: Average Annual Weekday Traffic. The estimate of typical traffic over the period of one year for the days between Monday through Thursday inclusive.

QW: Quality of AAWDT:

- A Average of Complete Continuous Count Data
- B Average of Selected Continuous Count Data
- F Factored Short Term Traffic Count Data
- G Factored Short Term Traffic Count Data with Growth Element
- M Manual Uncounted Estimate
- N AAWDT of Similar Neighboring Traffic Link
- O Provided by External Source

Year: Year for which the published values are appropriate. If the Quality of AADT (QA) is "R", the year is the year that the raw traffic count was collected, and if available,

Route Shield Legend























Route Systems

North 	Interstate Route	Traffic volume data for Interstate Routes and some other routes are reported separately by direction, as well as combined.
	US Route	
	Virginia State Route	
	Secondary Route	

Special Routes

Bus 	Bus - Business Route
	Bypas - Bypass Route
	Truck - Truck Route
ALT 	ALT - Alternate Route
	Wve - Wye Route connector
	P - Parallel Route; Southbound or Westbound direction lanes of a numbered route where they are on a different road facility than the other direction.
	The VDOT Maintenance Jurisdiction number is displayed below the Secondary Route Number if the Maintenance Jurisdiction is different than the jurisdiction in the title of the report.

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							2Axle	3+Axle	1Trail	2Trail							
Town of Leesburg																	
	Market St West	1.85	40000	G	From	Bus SR 7; WCL Leesburg					C	0.090	F	0.783	44000	G	2003
					To												
	 Leesburg Bypass	1.60	48000	G	From	US 15 King St					C	0.091	F	0.531	52000	G	2003
					To												
	Market St East	1.83	54000	G	From	US 15, BUS SR 7 Market St					F	0.084	F	0.634	59000	G	2003
					To	ECL Leesburg											
	Market St	0.12	14000	G	From	WCL Leesburg					C	0.099	F	0.731	15000	G	2003
					To	Fairview St											
	Market St	0.25	12000	G	From						C	0.100	F	0.728	13000	G	2003
					To	253-4206 Loudoun St											
	Market St	0.27	8400	G	From						F	0.096	F	0.742	9100	G	2003
					To	253-4205 Ayr St											
	Market St	0.36	9300	G	From						F	0.090	F	0.713	10000	G	2003
					To	Bus US 15											
	Market St	0.09	12000	G	From						F	0.084	F	0.503	13000	G	2003
					To	Church St											
	Market St	0.23	10000	G	From						C	0.081	F	0.523	11000	G	2003
					To	253-4206 Loudoun St											
	Market St	0.27	20000	G	From						F	0.092	F	0.505	22000	G	2003
					To	253-4200 Catocin Circle											
	Market St	0.71	32000	G	From						F	0.088	F	0.573	35000	G	2003
					To	US 15; SR 7											
	King St	1.09	17000	G	From	SCL Leesburg					C	0.085	F	0.549	19000	G	2003
					To	253-4209 Evergreen Mill Rd											
	King St	0.38	29000	G	From						F	0.089	F	0.617	31000	G	2003
					To	SR 7, Bus US 15											
	Leesburg Bypass	1.60	48000	G	From						C	0.091	F	0.531	52000	G	2003
					To	SR 7 Market Street East											
	Leesburg Bypass	0.75	42000	G	From						F	0.09	F	0.612	44000	G	2003
					To	253-4208 Edwards Ferry Rd											
	Leesburg Bypass	1.18	26000	G	From						C	0.09	F	0.636	27000	G	2003
					To	NCL Leesburg											
	King St	0.56	24000	G	From	US 15; SR 7					C	0.093	F	0.502	26000	G	2003
					To	253-4200 Catocin Circle											
	King St	0.08	13000	G	From						F	0.096	F	0.586	14000	G	2003
					To	Fairfax St											
	King St	0.40	11000	G	From						F	0.101	F	0.503	12000	G	2003
					To	253-4206 Loudoun St											
	King St	0.23	10000	G	From						F	0.087	F	0.518	11000	G	2003
					To	North St											
	King St	0.87	7400	G	From						F	0.094	F	0.501	8100	G	2003
					To	NCL Leesburg											

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						2Axle	3+Axle	1Trail	2Trail								
Town of Leesburg																	
East				From:	US 15												
267	Dulles Greenway	0.69	15000	N	98%	0%	1%	0%	0%	N	0.180	N		17000	N	2003	
	Combined Traffic:		31000	N	98%	0%	1%	0%	1%	N	0.107	N	0.818	34000	N		
				To:	SCL Leesburg												
West				From:	US 15												
267	Dulles Greenway	0.70	16000	G	97%	0%	1%	0%	1%	F	0.177	F		17000	G	2003	
	Combined Traffic:		31000	N	98%	0%	1%	0%	1%	N	0.107	F	0.818	34000	N		
				To:	SCL Leesburg												
9282 53		0.08	280	R	From:	253-4200 Catoctin Cir						NA		NA		1999	
				To:	Dead End												
9284 53		0.01	380	R	From:	Douglas Elementary School						NA		NA		1999	
				To:	Douglas Elementary School												
9536 53		0.13	610	R	From:	Loudoun Co High School						NA		NA		1999	
				To:	53-4205												
1	Battlefield Parkway	0.83	5400	G	From:	Bus US 15 King St					C	0.107	F	0.507	5900	G	2003
				To:	US 15 Leesburg Bypass												
1	Battlefield Parkway	0.42	3300	G	From:	95%	2%	2%	2%	C	0.14	F	0.590	3600	G	2003	
				To:	Smartts Lane												
3	Fort Evans Rd	0.89	7600	F	From:	US 15					C	0.096	F	0.542	8300	F	2003
				To:	ECL Leesburg, 53-773												
4	Plaza St	0.44	8400	G	From:	Bus SR 7 Market St					F	0.094	F	0.551	9100	G	2003
				To:	253-4208 Edwards Ferry Rd												
4	Plaza St	0.48	3800	G	From:	97%	1%	1%	0%	C	0.109	F	0.664	4100	G	2003	
				To:	Rust St												
4	Plaza St	0.32	2700	G	From:	Battlefield Pkwy					F	0.154	F	0.711	2900	G	2003
				To:	Rust St												
4200	Catoctin Cir	0.29	6200	F	From:	0.16 Mi N of C2SR 7 E Market St					F	0.095	F	0.556	6800	F	2003
				To:	C2SR 7 E Market St												
4200	Catoctin Cir	0.17	17000	G	From:	97%	0%	2%	0%	C	NA			17000	G	2003	
				To:	South St												
4200	Catoctin Cir	0.63	18000	G	From:	89%	1%	2%	2%	C	NA			19000	G	2003	
				To:	King St S, US 15												
4200	Catoctin Cir	0.57	7700	G	From:	97%	0%	2%	0%	C	0.103	F	0.709	8300	G	2003	
				To:	Dry Mill Rd												
4200	Catoctin Cir	0.38	5000	G	From:	97%	0%	2%	0%	C	0.1	F	0.683	5400	G	2003	
				To:	Childrens Center Rd												
4200	Catoctin Cir	0.29	4000	G	From:	98%	0%	1%	0%	C	0.102	F	0.625	4300	G	2003	
				To:	Market St W												
4200	Fairview St	0.64	2200	F	From:	94%	1%	3%	1%	C	0.164	F	0.522	2400	F	2003	
				To:	Old Waterford Rd												
4201	Sycolin Rd	1.61	NA		From:	SCL Leesburg						NA		NA			
				To:	US 15												
4201	Sycolin Rd	0.64	NA		From:	US 15						NA		NA			
				To:	C2SR 7												

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(4205)	Dry Mill Rd	0.59	3500	G	From:	WCL Leesburg					C	0.159	F	0.871	3800	G	2003
					To:												
(4205)	Dry Mill Rd	0.25	4000	G	From:	Lee Ave					F	0.189	F	0.693	4300	G	2003
					To:												
(4205)	Dry Mill Rd	0.49	2700	G	From:	Catoctin Cir					F	0.134	F	0.594	2900	G	2003
					To:												
(4205)	Ayr St	0.09	630	G	From:	W Loudoun St					F	0.139	F		680	G	2003
					To:	Loudoun St											
					From:	Market St											
					To:												
(4206)	Loudoun St	0.28	3900	G	From:	Market St West					C	0.108	F	0.861	4200	G	2003
					To:												
(4206)	Loudoun St	0.35	6200	G	From:	253-4205 Ayr St					F	0.121	F	0.765	6700	G	2003
					To:												
(4206)	Loudoun St	0.09	7800	G	From:	Bus US 15					F	0.099	F	0.665	8400	G	2003
					To:												
(4206)	Loudoun St	0.21	7600	G	From:	Church St					C	0.093	F	0.606	8200	G	2003
					To:	Market St East											
(4208)	Edwards Ferry Rd	0.11	3200	G	From:	E Market St					F	0.089	F	0.538	3400	G	2003
					To:												
(4208)	Edwards Ferry Rd	0.25	4400	G	From:	Harrison St					C	0.112	F	0.586	4800	G	2003
					To:												
(4208)	Edwards Ferry Rd	0.16	4600	G	From:	Woodberry Rd					F	0.095	F	0.515	4900	G	2003
					To:												
(4208)	Edwards Ferry Rd	0.20	9500	G	From:	Prince St					F	0.097	F	0.53	10000	G	2003
					To:												
(4208)	Edwards Ferry Rd	0.09	8800	G	From:	Washington St					F	0.098	F	0.52	9500	G	2003
					To:												
(4208)	Edwards Ferry Rd	0.06	8800	G	From:	Mayfair Dr					F	0.095	F	0.503	9500	G	2003
					To:												
(4208)	Edwards Ferry Rd	0.09	13000	G	From:	Plaza St					F	0.100	F	0.566	14000	G	2003
					To:												
(4208)	Edwards Ferry Rd	0.31	13000	G	From:	Cherry St					C	0.102	F	0.581	14000	G	2003
					To:	US 15											
(4209)	Evergreen Mill Rd	1.01	7400	G	From:	US 15					C	0.146	F	0.569	8000	G	2003
					To:	Masons Lane											
(4209)	Evergreen Rd	0.01	NA		From:	Mason Lane						NA			NA		
					To:	53-621 JB-253 SCL LEESBURG											
(4210)	Evergreen Mill Rd	0.40	NA		From:	US 15						NA			NA		
					To:	SCL Leesburg											
	Cardinal Park Dr		5500	G	From:	Trailview Blvd						0.101	F		5500	G	2003
					To:	Market St											
	Catoctin Cir		7900	G	From:	0.18 Mi N Market St						0.100	F		7900	G	2003
					To:												
	Catoctin Cir		420	G	From:	Edwards Ferry Rd						0.106	F		420	G	2003
					To:	19MN Edwards Ferry Rd											

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Crosstrail Blvd Prop		16000	G	From:	Leesburg SCL					0.095	F		16000	G	2003	
				To:	Fort Evans Rd											
Edwards Ferry Rd		3900	G	From:	US 15					0.105	F		3900	G	2003	
				To:	.31 ME OF US 15											
Edwards Ferry Rd		1900	G	From:						0.116	F		1900	G	2003	
				To:	ECL Leesburg											
Governors Drive		920	G	From:	Country Club Drive					0.141	F	0.696	920	G	2003	
				To:	US 15											
Harrison Street		4700	G	From:	South Street					0.171	F	0.599	4700	G	2003	
				To:	Market Street											
Trailview Blvd Prop		1200	G	From:	Dead End					0.122	F	0.5	1200	G	2003	
				To:	Cardinal Park Dr											